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Our Case No. 8864/8

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Griffith D. Neal)
Serial No. 09/470,428) Examiner: J. Waks
Filing Date: December 22, 1999) Group Art Unit: 2834
For: HIGH SPEED SPINDLE MOTOR)
FOR DISK DRIVE)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 9, 2002, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please rewrite (again) the paragraph on page 27, line 25, to page 28, line 9, as follows:

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